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Part B for May 1938

SUBJECT.

Re: Question of the need for Binding & Texts of Several Religious Books in the State.

No 2021 dt 15-5-38 Intimates the non-desirable

A— interfering with these honours

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MYSORE STATE TROOPS. Mis 338-38-1

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF COMMANDANT,

No. C1-2345/38.. *Bangalore, dated* ..1-4-39..... 193

FROM

Col.M.D.Vigors, D.S.O., M.C.,
~~Lt.Col.H.del N.Lucas,~~
Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops,
Bangalore.

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GENERAL SECRET

TO

The General Secretary
to the Government of H.H.the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

SIR

I have the honour to state that units of the Mysore State Troops are at present furnishing a number of Biradaries and escorts to several religious and secular institutions. I am of opinion that the time has now come to review their necessity and numbers and I request that Government may kindly take this question up with the Muzari Commissioner and the Palace Department and communicate their decision to me.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M. Vigors Col.,
Chief Commandant,
Mysore State Troops.

(1) It would facilitate speedy disposal of the cases if the C. C's Office. quotes previous refees, if any in their Communications.

WD 0565—GPB—22,500—8-11-38

Re Correspondence The system of furnishing Broadcasts of Concerts to several religious institutions to take

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1) To Cook.

2) Send with a draft Letter for Sir Cecil Harris particulars. He is sending a copy of the Broadcasting Programme which will be commenced.

3) [illegible] 5/4

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Biradaris + escorts to religious Instns

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Subj:- The Mysore State Transport furnishing a number of Biradaris & escorts to Several Religious & Secular Instns

Sri Sringeri Mutt:- In the Rahadari issued to this Mutt mention is made of a Subsidy of 20 Silledars of the Mysore Horse & 8 Sepoys of the Mysore Infantry - (vide para 19 of The Honors & Award) - From para 3 of The file relating to the Guru's Visit to Bangalore in Jany 1868, it is seen that the Mily Asstt was instructed to order 3 Biradaris of Silledars Horse to accompany the Swamigalu, and 8 Sepoys could then be spared - The Mutt appears to have been enjoying this Concession for over a century -

(Para 3 of letter of 25-7-1868)

2) In 1885 when the Swamigalu toured outside the State a similar Subsidy of the Mysore Horse and the Infantry was made. (vide Dewan's letter No. 44 of 26.2-1885 to the Resident in Mysore Spl File No 70 Secrt & Genl Mis 184 of 1906 & Genl 184-06/3 portion Asr refer) - These escorts are to accompany the Swamigalu throughout his tour -

In the case of Sri Uttaradi Mutt, an escort of Biradaris of Silledars are to accompany from the Railway to the Mutt (Para 13 of the Honors Manual)

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Even in 1924-25 when His Highness toured in Kalasa the same procession & honors have been allowed - Vide Mysore 165-23-Misc 08E

Sri Parakala Mutt :-

3) 7 Bare Sepoys with their Weapons & 10 Silledars with their arms & Palkhi Bearers were first allowed. (Vide para 17 of the Honors Manual) & in July 1928 it was ordered that there is no necessity for formally defining the honors & the insignias to which the Mutts is entitled, as the Swamis rarely undertake a prolonged tour - xPage 1

1) The grant of an escort of Silledars to the Head of our Mutts is of a comparatively recent origin; military display of Silledars was discontinued in the Case of Sri Yatiraja Swamigalu Visiting Bangalore. (Vide para 22 - Reference 11 of the Honors Manual) The following Mutts have been allowed the escort of Silledars during the visits of the respective Gurus to the Bangalore city :-

(1) Sri Sevajeeya Mutt — 6 Silledars & a Set of band boys to accompany the Swamiji also in procession (of the Mysore State Troops -

2) Sri Thothadri Mutt - (para 8 of the Honors Manual) Page 61

3) Sri Ahobila Mutt (para 10 of the Honors Manual) Page 63

4) Sri Vyasaraja Swami Mutt at Sosale T. Narasipur T.K. Page 67

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5) Sri Muruga rajendra Swami Mutt - (Paragraph Hon'ble Manual)

6) Sri Bale Honnur Mutt (Pages 150-51 Para 24)

x M - 1) Sri Vana mamalai Mutt (Mutt 365-29-MSM (G.O. no. 18-25 & 18/6/30)

8) Sri. Kundapura Vyasaraya Swamie Mutt.

x M - (G.O. no. 1499-502/ Mutt 247-36-2 & 14.5.

5) The Chief Commandant's office was consulted to formally state the specific reps according which the several escorts are being sent on the occasions refd to above & has failed to furnish the information. The compilation of English is not possible in the absence of reps to be quoted in the C.C.'s Circulate office.

6) While sending Sri Kantha murthy to Nanjangud & Krishnarajendra to Melkote escorts accompany - This is a matter to be ascertained from the Huzur Sec.

7) This only as a matter of honour to the several Mahadeshwara Mutts these escorts are given at the time of reception. Whether there is any need for interfering with these pertaining to the holy Mahadeshwara is a matter for consideration —

Retd. of Sri Abhinava Vidya Mutt 10th Bhimanakatte Mutt. 2 11 Sri Majjigehalli Mutt 12 Sri Palmaranahalli Mutt not based -

Mutt Retd. of 15-

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Pls. give the Reports referred to above. = Pl. ask the information in the form of a statement as directed. GS 26/4 - Further instructions to follow on 4/5/38

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Re: Briefing Staff allowed

Mus File No. 1315 of 1938-9

The information is embodied in the form of a Statement as personally directed —

GS 575 Mus 6.5.39.

(1) A Statement prepared in the office as regards the escort of the military furnished to the several Rulers so far as information could be gathered readily is submitted. It will be seen that this honour of a military escort dates for nearly a century in some cases. In almost all the cases the escort is provided on the occasion of the visit with Plenipotentiary and the deputation from Plenipotentiary of the Sovereign. Such occasions have not been very frequent and consequently no difficulties have arisen so far. Recently however a proposal which has been sanctioned by the Sovereign on an Honour to the Ruler. It is for consideration whether the Mysore Durbar should be communicated

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Re: Biradaris & escorts to religious dignitaries

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The file was originally put up by P.S. to H.H. and has been returned with his orders. It may be put up for orders.
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12) In the circumstances explained in the office notes, the C.C may be informed that Govt do not consider it necessary to review the question. The existing arrangements may continue. Any interference is likely to be resented & misunderstood as an act of discourtesy.

2nd member & Dewan

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13 With the advent of motor cars the demands for escorts are less & less frequent. It is not necessary to interfere with these honours - as they are considered. as it is likely to cause misunderstanding & discontent

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No 2021 G/15/5/39 to the Chief Commandant Mysore State Troops intimating that it is not desirable to interfere with Edicts &c given to Religious Institutions &c.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Dated, Bangalore, 15th May 1939.

No. 2021/Mug 358-38-2

From

The General Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Chief Commandant,
Mysore State Troops,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.C.1-2345/38-39 dated the 1st April 1939 requesting Government to review the need for furnishing Biradaries and escorts to several religious etc., Institutions, I am directed to state that Government consider that it is not desirable to interfere with these honours as they are considered. I am to add that with the advent of Motor Cars the demands for escorts are few and far between.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For General Secretary to Government

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Signed by Mr. S. K. V. Iyer

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To

The C.C. M.S.T

Sir,

With reference to your
No C 1-2365/38-39 dt 1.4.39
requesting Govt. to
Revise the rates of
Bindings & Cards for Several
Registers the Taluks, I am
directed to State that the
Rates under this head
are not high
to encourage the Publishers.

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